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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, NOVEMBER 30, 2001

PETITION OF

VERIZON SOUTH INC.

and

CASE NO. PUC010153

VERIZON VIRGINIA INC.

For partial waiver of  
Commission Rules of  
Practice and Procedure

### ORDER TAKING PETITION UNDER ADVISEMENT

On July 6, 2001, Verizon South Inc. ("Verizon South") and Verizon Virginia Inc. ("Verizon Virginia") (collectively, "Joint Petitioners") filed their above-captioned Petition to request a partial waiver of 5 VAC 5-20-150 in connection with filing negotiated agreements pursuant to the State Corporation Commission's ("Commission") Procedural Rules for Implementing §§ 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, 47 U.S.C. §§ 251 and 252 and 20 VAC 5-400-180 (the Interconnection Rules).

Commission Rule 5 VAC 5-20-150 (the "Rule") requires the delivery of an original and fifteen (15) copies of all documents filed with the Commission in formally docketed cases. Joint Petitioners request a partial waiver of the Rule to allow the filing of a reduced number of copies of each agreement to reflect the actual number of useful copies.

The Commission notes that an enhanced electronic case management system ("CMS") is scheduled for implementation by the Commission in the Spring of 2002, which may reduce the Commission's requirements for copies of interconnection agreements. Once the CMS is implemented, the Commission will then determine if a reduced number of copies of Joint Petitioners' interconnection agreements will be sufficient and make a determination on Joint Petitioners' Petition at that time.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

(1) The Commission takes the Petition under advisement consistent with the findings above.

(2) This case is hereby continued until further order of the Commission.